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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>		Docket Number (Optional)
<b>FY 2005</b>		6370
<b>(fees effective on or after December 8, 2004)</b>		
Application Number 10/075,120		Filed February 13, 2002
For SPINAL PROPRIOCEPTION METHODS AND RELATED SYSTEMS		
Art Unit 3736	Examiner Charles Alan Marmor II	

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The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

	Fee	Small Entity Fee	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$80	\$60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450	\$225	\$_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1,020	\$510	\$_____
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 attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 35,853  
 attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 \_\_\_\_\_.

  
 Signature  
 Rodney D. DeKrull

February 4, 2005

Date

414-298-8360

Typed or printed name

Telephone Number

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Effective on 12/00/2004.

Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818)

## FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2005

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$ 60.00)

Complete if Known	
Application Number	10/075,120
Filing Date	February 13, 2002
First Named Inventor	Clive PAI
Examiner Name	Charles Alan Marmor II
Art Unit	3736
Attorney Docket No.	6370

### METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

Check  Credit Card  Money Order  None  Other (please identify) :

Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 18-0882 Deposit Account Name: Reinhart Boerner Van Deuren s.c.

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

Charge fee(s) indicated below  Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee  
 Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s)  Credit any overpayments; charge any deficiency

Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, except for the issue fee

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### FEE CALCULATION

#### 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	—
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	—
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	—
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	—
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	—

#### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

##### Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims:

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Small Entity	
				Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
-20 or HP=	x	=	=	50	25
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.				200	100
Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	360	180
- 3 or HP=	x	=	=	Multiple Dependent Claims	
HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.				Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)

#### 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
- 100 =	/ 50 =	(round up to a whole number) x	=	

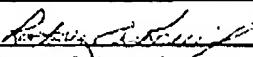
#### 4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): One month extension of time, response to non-final Office Action

60.00

### SUBMITTED BY

Signature		Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	35,853	Telephone	414-298-8360
Name (Print/Type)	Rodney D. DeKruif			Date	February 4, 2005

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